

FIRST NATIONAL BANK
OF DUSHORE, PENNA.
CAPITAL \$50,000
SURPLUS \$35,000
Does a General Banking Business.
S. D. STERIGER, M. D. SWARTS.
President, Cashier
3 per cent interest allowed on certificates.

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LAPORTE, Sullivan County, PA.

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in this and adjoining counties
LAPORTE, PA.

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LAPORTE, PA.
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DUSHORE, PA.

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Newly erected. Opposite Court
House square. Steam heat, bath rooms,
hot and cold water, reading and pool
room, and barber shop; also good stabling
and livery.

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Lime Kilns.**
Lime furnished in car
load lots, delivered at
Right Prices.
Your orders solicited.
Kilns near Hughesville
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For a well Kept
Up-to-date
Stock of
General
Merchandise
For prices that are
Right
For courteous treatment
go to
Buschhausen'

CONDENSED REPORT of the condition of the
First National Bank at Dushore, in the State
of Pennsylvania at close of business Dec. 31,
1907.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts.....	\$143,080.27
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	50,000.00
Bond Securities.....	174,475.00
Furniture.....	569.00
Due from bank and approval.....	104,030.65
Premium on U. S. Bond.....	1,300.00
Cash, and due from banks and Treas- ury U. S.....	27,714.47
Total.....	\$501,740.39
LIABILITIES.	
Capital.....	\$50,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits.....	39,522.36
Circulation.....	50,000.00
Dividends unpaid.....	00
Deposits.....	361,978.03
Total.....	\$501,740.39

State of Pennsylvania County of Sullivan ss.
I, M. D. Swarts, Cashier of the above named
bank do solemnly swear that the above statement
is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
M. D. SWARTS, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29
day of Sept. 1908. ALPHONSO WALSHE
My commission expires Feb'y 27, '09. Notary Public.
Correct Attest:
J. D. REESER, S. D. STERIGER, SAMUEL COLE, } Directors.

Administrator's Notice.
Notice is hereby given that letters of
administration upon the estate of Ellis
Swank, late of Davidson Township, Sulli-
van County, Pa., have been granted to
the undersigned. All persons indebted to
said estate are requested to make pay-
ment, and those having claims or de-
mands against the same will make them
known without delay to
EMMA SWANK, Admrx. of
Ellis Swank, Dec'd.
Sonestown, Pa., Sept. 4, 1908.

Wood for sale by the cord,
4 feet, also 12, 14 and 16 in-
ches long. Inquire at
LaPorte Tannery Store.

Foley's Honey and Tar
heals lungs and stops the cough.

Foley's Honey and Tar
cures colds, prevents pneumonia.

County Seat
Local and Personal Events
Tersely Told.

The young people are enjoying
excellent skating on Lake Mokoma.
Mr. W. J. Lawrence of Kane,
spent Sunday with old friends in
Laporte.

Mrs. W. H. Randall is visiting
relatives in Williamsport.

Mrs. Louise Barrows is visiting
her sister Mrs. J. W. Murrelle, at
Athens.

Sheriff Brown is slowly recover-
ing from a quite serious illness.

Murry Warburton of Sugar
Run, filled a silo 12x27 feet in
size, off two and three-quarter
acres of land.

A large number of bears have
been killed in this county this sea-
son, eighteen having been killed
in the vicinity of Lopez.

Jacob Whiton of Muncy Valley
transacted business in town Mon-
day.

The hotel at Lopez has been re-
modeled, steam heating plant in-
stalled and fire escapes erected.
The Basley hotel at Sonestown has
also been having modern conveni-
ences placed therein making it a
thoroughly first-class hotel.

William H. Grimm of Hamburg,
Barks county, who has raised four
crops of alfalfa the past season,
has placed thirty-two steers in his
barn which he expects to fatten
with this crop—a new experiment
for that section.

Married at Muncy Valley parson-
age Saturday evening Nov. 28th,
by Rev. S. B. Bidlack, Edward H.
Robbins son of William Robbins of
Sonestown, and Miss Lucy Little
daughter of John Little of Nord-
mont.

The County Commissioners met
at their office Friday receiving bids
for the construction of an iron bridge
over Mud Run near Shunk. The
contract was awarded to the Mon-
tour Steel company of Montour Falls
N. Y. for the sum of \$779.00. The
bridge is to be 64ft. long and 12 feet
clear for road way. The contract calls
for completion by January 30, 1908.
The cost of this bridge is considered
the lowest of any similar bridge
ever constructed in Sullivan county.
Our Commissioners merit congratula-
tions for their success in secur-
ing so good a bargain.

Two vagrants traveling through
Laporte Wednesday morning took
possession of Atty. F. H. Ingham's
gun which was left standing on the
front porch of his home, while he
was making preparations for a
hunt. When finding the gun miss-
ing he discovered tracks in the
snow of two persons passing the
house, one of whom stepped to the
porch and removed the gun. Upon
making inquiry he learned that the
tramps had been in town soliciting
their morning meal, and found they
were headed in the direction of
Sonestown. Constable N. C. Ma-
ben was sent in pursuit, and ar-
rived at the Muncy Valley station
just as the men were about to take
their departure over the mountain.
Mr. Maben approached the men
and informed them of his business.
The man carrying the gun handed
it to the constable, remarking, "If
you get me you will have to take
me dead," and ran for the woods.
The constable being alone and
having one man captive desired to
hold on to what he had, and did
not follow in pursuit. A shot or
was fired into the air but the fugi-
tive did not heed them and was
soon out of sight. After the cause
of the excitement had become
known about Muncy Valley, men
and boys were soon pursuing the
robber but as night came had not
been overtaken and is still at large.
The captured youth was brought
to the county jail where he awaits
the action of the law. His name
is Walter Farr and is seventeen
years of age. Maynard Deal, his
companion who stole the gun is 22
years of age. Both are from St.
Marys, and were looking for work.
Their object for stealing the gun
was to sell it and raise money to
help defray traveling expenses.

That the Pennsylvania Railroad
Company will "loosen up" and
spend five million of dollars in dam-
ning the Juniata river, cutting
away a mountain and building a
power plant for the electrification
of the system at a point near Lewis-
town, is partly confirmed by practi-
cal railroad men interviewed in
Harrisburg, who admit that within
the next six years such a thing as a
steam locomotive will not be seen
on the Pennsylvania railroad in this
State.

Information came to Harrisburg,
that the Reiter, Curtis and Hill, H.
S. Kerbaugh and Charles Simms,
the biggest railroad contractors of
this country were bidding on con-
tract for improvements at Lewis-
town that would involve five mil-
lion dollars.

Estimates for various improve-
ments necessary along the line of
Pennsylvania railroad have all been
turned into the Philadelphia office
and appropriations of money to be
spent next year will not be made
until after January 1, 1909.

Men connected with these three
big contracting concerns who have
been active for some time about
Lewistown, have let slip sufficient
information to justify the belief
that the railroad company has gigan-
tic plans for improvements at
Lewistown.

It has been planned for several
years to eliminate a big curve in
the line at Lewistown near a point
where the proposed dam is to be
built in the Juniata. At that point
there is considerable of a fall in the
river and men up in hydraulics
claim that sufficient power could be
generated there by damming the
river to supply a division of the sys-
tem with electricity.

It is claimed that the scheme to
eliminate the curve by tearing down
a portion of the mountain there is
for economic purposes as the stone
blasted from the mountain would be
utilized partly in the construction
of the dam and for filling-in purposes
at the point where the power plant
is to be located.

Everybody likes hairbreadth Har-
ry, Lucky Mike, John, Poor John
and Mrs. time killer, who with
many others appear every Sunday
in the comic section of "The Phila-
delphia Press." They all do won-
derful stunts, are great laugh pro-
ducers and a sure cure for "the
blues." They entertain the young
and old and amuse the children for
hours. The comic section is a feature
of "The Sunday Press" and is kept
fresh and is funnier than ever. See
that you always get the "Phila-
delphia Press" every Sunday from
your newsdealer.

SHERIFF'S SALE,
By virtue of sundry writs of fieri facias
issued out of the Court of Common Pleas
of Sullivan County, Pennsylvania, and to
me directed and delivered, there will be
exposed at public sale at the Court House
in the Borough of Laporte, Sullivan
County, Pennsylvania, on
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1908,
at 1 o'clock p. m., the following describ-
ed property, to-wit:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of
land, lying and being in the Borough of
Laporte, County of Sullivan and State of
Pennsylvania, bounded and described as
follows:

BEGINNING at the intersection of
Main and Muncy Streets in said Borough
of Laporte, on the Northwest side thereof;
thence along the West side of said Muncy
Street North ninety (90) feet to a lot of
Thomas J. Ingham on which is erected a
building known as Odd Fellows' Hall;
thence North along the South side of
said Ingham lot West fifty-two (52) feet to
Lot No. 39, according to the general plan
of said Borough as recorded in Sullivan
County Deed Book A, page , and
which lot is in the occupancy of T. J.
Keeler; thence South along said Keeler
lot ninety (90) feet to Main Street; thence
along the North side of Main Street East
fifty-two (52) feet to the place of beginning
and being in the general plan of said
Borough ninety (90) feet of the Southern
portion of Lot No. 40.

Lot improved and having erected there-
on a two-story frame building, containing
store room down stairs and an office up-
stairs. Together with small out build-
ings. Being centrally located in Laporte
Borough and a very desirable property.
Seized, taken in execution and to be
sold as the property of A. J. Bradley at
the suit of R. A. Conklin and others.
JUDSON BROWN, Sheriff.
Sheriff's office, Laporte, Pa., Nov. 19, 1908
COURT PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, HON. CHAS. E. TERRY, President
Judge, Honorable Henry Richlin and R. C. R.
Kiskinka, Assoc. Judges of the Courts of Oyer and
Terror and General Jail Delivery, Quarter
Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court and Com-
mon Pleas for the County of Sullivan, have issued
their precept, bearing date the 28 day of Oct.
1907, to me directed, for holding the several
courts in the Borough of Laporte, on Monday the
14 day of Dec. 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m.
Therefore, notice is hereby given to the Coroner,
Justices of the Peace and Constables within the
county, that they be then and there in their prop-
er person at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, with their
rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations and
other remembrances to those things to which
their offices appertain to be done. And to those
who are bound by their recognizance to prosecute
against prisoners who are or shall be in the jail of
the said county of Sullivan, are hereby notified to
be then and there to prosecute against them as
will be just.
JUDSON BROWN, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Laporte Pa., 9, Jan 1908

The 32nd. Annual Meeting of The
Farmers and Mechanics Home Mut-
ual Fire Insurance Company of
Sullivan County will be held at the
company's office in the Borough of
Forksville on Saturday the second
day of January 1909 at 10 o'clock
A. M. for the purpose of electing a
board of directors and other officers
for the ensuing year and the tran-
saction of such other business as may
properly come before the meeting.
The surveyors will meet with the
auditors at the office of the Secre-
tary on Friday January 1st. 1909 to
settle the accounts of the corporation.
Forksville Dec. 2nd. 1908.
R. D. Lancaster Sec
M. R. Black, Pres.

Notice.
Notice is given that my wife, Alice
Clinton Ayers, has left my bed and board
without just cause or provocation and I
forbid any and all persons not to trust or
harbor her on my account, as I will not
pay any debts contracted by her after this
date, November 9, 1908.
L. E. AYERS, Wheelersville, Pa.

Bridge Letting.
The Commissioners of Sullivan County
invite sealed bids to build a steel highway
bridge across Mud Run, near Shunk, in
Fox Township, Sullivan County, and will
let the contract to build said county bridge
to the lowest responsible bidder, reserv-
ing the right to reject any and all bids.
No responsible individual, firm or cor-
poration will be denied the privilege of
bidding. Said sealed bids will be received
at the Commissioners office in Laporte
at any time up to Friday, the 4th day of
December 1908, at one o'clock p. m., and
will be opened at 2 o'clock p. m., of same
day, in the presence of all bidders who
choose to be present at that time.
The plans and specifications for said
bridge will be kept in the office of the
County Commissioners open to the inspec-
tion of all interested bidders. Each bid-
der must deposit with the County Com-
missioners or their Clerk, at the Com-
missioners office, in Laporte, a certified
check on some sound banking institution
for \$300, conditioned that same shall be
forfeited to Sullivan County if same bid-
der neglects or refuses to comply with
the terms of his bid if the work is award-
ed to him.

BOYD P. BENNETT,
MICHAEL McDONALD,
FRANK H. McCARTY,
County Commissioners.
November 7, 1908.

- Trial List, December Term 1908.**
Return day, Dec. 14, 1908, at 2 o'clock, p. m.
- The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
for the use of Mina J. Phillips, wife
of A. G. Phillips vs Frank W. Buck,
Sheriff of the County of Sullivan, and
the United States Fidelity and Guaranty
Company of Baltimore, Md. Surety.
No. 43 September Term, 1907.
Summons in Debt founded on official
bond. Pleas.—Non Assumpsit, Perfor-
mance, with leave to give special mat-
ter in evidence. Not guilty, Performance
with leave to give special matter in evi-
dence.
T. J. Ingham, | Bradley and Mullen.
 - George Golder vs Eagles Mere Light
Company.
No. 19, February Term, 1903.
Trespass. Plea.—Not guilty.
Scouten, Bradley. | Meylert.
 - M. Brink vs H. J. Schaal,
No. 39, February Term, 1908.
Defendant's appeal. Plea.—Non-Assump-
sit, payment, payment to give special
matter in evidence.
Stephen H. Smith. | Bradley.
 - Paul Gerli, Trading under the par-
tnership name of Paul Gerli and Com-
pany now to use of Paul Gerli & Co., Inc.
vs Loyalsock Silk Co., a corporation, H.
N. Bigger, J. E. Farrell, A. R. Morrison
and Samuel Cole.
No. 50 September Term, 1908.
Assumpsit. Plea.—Non-Assumpsit.
Payment and set-off, Payment with leave
to give special matter in evidence.
Mullen. | Cronin.

ALBERT F. HEES, Register.
Proth. office, Laporte, Pa., Nov. 2, 1908.

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Is often asked by the pru-
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Lose no time in making a
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Large Store.**

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JEREMIAH KELLY, Vice Pres.
W. C. FRONTZ, Cashier.
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Jeremiah Kelly, Wm. Frontz, W. C. Frontz,
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You can find a general stock of Lumbeimen's Flannel
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MEN'S and BOYS' HATS, CAPS and MITTENS.
Also a Full Assortment of Boots and Shoes
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DUSHORE, PA.

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FINE CUSTOM MADE SUITS TO ORDER
A SPECIALTY.
Ladies' Misses' and Children's apparel. Lumbermen's
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